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e. I noted that the Communist World Youth Festival is reportedly scheduled for Vienna sometime during the summer of 1959 and asked L-1 to consider ways and means of exploiting and/or attacking it. I specifically noted the possible operational advantages of Schlingensiefel in connection with the festival.

f. L-1 and L-2 are holding up Speaks a bit, trying to make it as timely as possible. It will include an up-to-date interview with Willi Brandt on the current Berlin situation and the latest material on the Chinese Communes.

4. I asked L-1 several questions regarding four former LOGASSOCK employees and associates (this per recent GDS query).

5. I passed L-1 the original letter from Bettina regarding the "sale" of ☐ property to ☐ This will be put into LOGASSOCK files to backstop the status of this property.

6. L-1 said he had talked to ☐ for two hours in Bonn during his recent trip. Von Hammerstein was unavailable. ☐ confirmed the CAWASH subsidy for Schlingensiefel and indicated that the same subsidy, same terms, would be favorably considered for the following two three-month periods, i.e., to June 1959. Beyond that, L-1 and ☐ discussed the status and activities of LOGASSOCK. My impression is that L-1 gave CALANATE a full briefing, including L-1's version of our recent financial and operational policies. L-1 apparently emphasized his belief that he is being squeezed to the wall by us and that he needs CAWASH support. According to L-1, ☐ was sympathetic and said CAWASH was presently considering a "basic decision" on LOGASSOCK. It is quite possible that ☐ added some details regarding this basic decision in his talk with L-1; if he did, L-1 did not pass them on to us.

7. Despite our explicit instructions to L-1 not to bring up any new specific proposal with Bonn until we know where we stand with our own negotiations, L-1 blandly admitted he had broached a new proposal with CALANATE, an idea for a one-time sports magazine (to be called "Eula Booy" of all things!) which would contrast Communist mass regimented sports and free individualistic sports. According to L-1, ☐ liked the idea and asked for a concrete proposal. After his return to Berlin--without notifying us!--L-1 sent ☐ a written proposal on this. No response yet from CAWASH on it. I let L-1 know in no uncertain terms that this violation of our instructions was a serious matter and that we would not hesitate to scuttle the

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proposal if it appears it might interfere with our "present" negotiations.
(Note: We have subsequently advised Doan of this development and have asked
them to request [] to suspend any consideration of J-1's proposal
until our negotiations with GAWASH re LCCASSOCK are completed. We will then
squash the proposal on this end.)

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